

## MAY SEND CONSULS ABOARD WARSHIPS

Alarm for American Representatives to Manchuria.

### CHESHIRE READY FOR TRIP

Gunboat May Be Required to Convey Diplomats Up the Yalu River.

Scarcely a doubt is now entertained but that American warships will be needed to take this Government's consuls to their posts in Manchuria. The breaking out of the war has made it apparent that their safety in making the journey across the Yellow Sea or up the Yalu River will be insured only by the American flag.

James W. Davidson, consul at Antung, which is on the upper part of the Yalu River, has already left Washington on his way to San Francisco, whence he will sail. Fleming T. Cheshire, consul at Mukden, will leave Washington tomorrow. It is in the neighborhood of Mukden that Russian troops, according to press dispatches, are concentrating the greatest force, and the whole country along the Yalu River, it is said, will be the scene of some of the most important battles. It is a strategic point for both armies and by the time the United States consuls arrive on the scene the conflict in that vicinity is expected to be at its hottest.

### May Ask Warships.

The question then naturally arises as to the safety of the United States representatives. At present the matter is left to the consuls themselves. Should they find on arrival in China that their safety is imperiled, they will at once ask for warships. It is the intention of both the Manchurian consuls to go to Niu-chwang, but from that point a Russian railroad furnishes the only means of reaching Antung and Mukden, except by water, and it is feared that this railroad may have been destroyed.

Up the Yalu River it would be possible for a light-draft American gunboat to move and it is probable the consuls will be conveyed in this way. This will mean that American warships are to appear directly on the scene of war. Such a circumstance is, of course, fraught with great possibilities. A warship will also probably be needed to convey Edwin V. Morgan to Dainy, where he takes his post as commercial agent. Mr. Morgan will probably leave Washington on Saturday.

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## Lithographs for Maps Destroyed in the Fire

Stones for Series of 1902, Interior Department, Consumed With the Establishment of Guggenheimer, Weil & Co.

The 1902 map of the Interior Department, 42,000 copies of which were to be printed for members of Congress, will not appear, the lithographic stones that were being prepared by Guggenheimer, Weil & Co. having been destroyed by the Baltimore fire.

The engraved copper plates from which the stones were made are safe, however, but even so they are not available for the 1902 map and that issue will not appear.

These plates have now been revised in part and when they are put to use they will bring forth the map of 1903, every section but one having been brought up to date by the engravers of Bartle & Co., of this city, who have the engraving contract.

The process of map making has been changed from the old aluminum process to the new and finer process of lithography from copper plates, the maps, as originally prepared by the experts of the department, showing all the land sales, and the work of the Land Office for the year. Then the plates are aligned and covered with what is known as lithographers' transfer paper, which is peculiarly sensitized and picks up all the lines in the plate. These are then transferred to the stones, into which they are eaten by acid, and the maps are made from these stones.

Guggenheimer, Weil & Co. were burned out and the stones were destroyed and not one of the maps will be delivered to the Government, nor is there any chance of another effort to produce the map of 1902. The department is now considering some of the complications that may result, but in the meantime the work on the 1903 plates will proceed as if nothing had happened.

## CASHIER OF BANK MAKES COSTLY ERRORS

Had Been Involved for More Than a Year—Bonds Cover the Shortage.

WOLFBOBO, N. H., Feb. 10.—A shortage of about \$25,000 in the accounts of the Wolfboro Loan and Banking Company has been discovered and the savings department of the company has been closed pending further investigation. The shortage is alleged to have been due to erroneous bookkeeping on the part of the cashier, Charles F. Piper, who for more than a year has been an invalid.

No accusation has been made against Mr. Piper and the errors are thought to be explained by the fact that the man had not been in the best physical or mental condition for some time before he gave up business. As the bonds given by Mr. Piper nearly cover the amount of the shortage, it is thought that the institution will not be affected by the trouble.

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## BARGE MASTER DEAD; GIRL IN A PRISON

Says She Is Niece of the Man and That He Shot Himself, Being Out of Money.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 10.—Patrick Dillon, master of an East River (N. Y.) coal barge, was found dying of a bullet wound in the head in his room at the Hotel Avista, Twenty-fourth and Chestnut Streets. After his death, Ellen Sullivan, twenty-seven years old, who said she was his niece, but was registered at the hotel as his wife, was arrested.

She said Dillon had brought her from Queenstown to be his housekeeper. They arrived last Sunday. She said that Dillon had written to his brother for a loan of \$100, and had received no answer. This, she says, caused him to kill himself, as he was out of money and had had to give his watch as security at the hotel.

The police disbelieve her tale of relationship.

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## FACTORY GIRL BLINDED BY STRANGE EXPLOSION

Two Other Young Women Badly Injured in Catastrophe in Bridgeport, Conn., Cartridge Establishment.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Feb. 10.—An explosion occurred in the priming department of the Union Metallic Cartridge Company last night, within a few minutes of closing time. Twenty-five girls employed there ran shrieking from their benches to the farther end of the room, where many of them fell fainting. When the smoke cleared away, Anna Nelson, Boesie O'Malley and Sadie Burke lay unconscious on the floor.

The Nelson and O'Malley girls were taken to the general hospital, where little hope is expressed for the former's recovery. Both of her legs are broken, and her body literally filled with the little copper primers, which flew in all directions. Her sight is destroyed.

It is not known what caused the explosion.

## SISTER BERNARDINE RESTS IN MOUNT OLIVET

The funeral of Sister Bernardine, of the Holy Cross Academy, 1312 Massachusetts Avenue northwest, was held this morning, when a requiem mass was sung at 9:30 o'clock. Interment was made in Mount Olivet Cemetery.

Sister Bernardine was forty-five years old, and had been connected with the academy of the order for nineteen years. She was found dead in her room yesterday morning, death being due to heart disease.

SHEPPARD STREET EXTENSION. Members of the Citizens' Northwest Suburban Association and the general public will be given a hearing by the District Commissioners tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock, at which time the question of extending Sheppard Street will be considered.

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